



Standing Committee on Government Administration B

Inquiry into the assessment and treatment of ADHD and support services

Resolution of the House of Assembly of 19 June 2024

That the House:

- (2) Refers the following reference to Government Administration Committee B to inquire into and report upon the availability and efficiency of the assessment and treatment of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and support services for adults and children with ADHD in Tasmania, with the following Terms of Reference:—
- (a) adequacy of access to ADHD diagnosis;
 - (b) adequacy of access to supports after an ADHD assessment;
 - (c) the availability, training and attitudes of treating practitioners, including workforce development options for increasing access to ADHD assessment and support services;
 - (d) regulations regarding access to ADHD medications, including the Tasmanian Poisons Act 1971 and related regulations, and administration by the Pharmaceutical Services Branch (PSB), including options to improve access to ADHD medications;
 - (e) the adequacy of, and interaction between the State Government and Commonwealth services to meet the needs of people with ADHD at all life stages;
 - (f) the social and economic cost of failing to provide adequate and appropriate ADHD services;
 - (g) any other related matters; and
 - (h) that the Committee report by 31 March 2025.